

persons falling due at Martinmas next. Such of the creditors as shall neglect this advertisement, must blame themselves if their debtors be left out of the scheme of assignation.



Copenhagen, July 11.

THE 7th of this month an ordinance was published allowing the importation of grain into Agerhus and Christianland, in national or foreign vessels, on paying fifteen shillings (about seven pence Sterling) per ton. Scotch meal may also be imported into the district of Christianland. These regulations have been adopted, and will submit till July 1787, on account of the appearance of bad crops this season in Denmark and Norway.

*Erratum in last Saturday's Gazette, page 325, in the notification of Lieutenant Alexander McGregor's commission, in the 73d regiment of foot, for Lieutenant read Captain-Lieutenant.*

## LLOYD'S LIST, July 25.

CAPTAIN Bateman, of the Mercury, from St Vincent, in lat. 44. long. 26. spoke the Penelope, —, from Lynington to Virginia, all well.

The Dutton, Captain West, failed from Bengal the 17th Feb. and was to leave St Helena on the 2d June 1786.

The Maryland packet, Brown, from London to Maryland, is lost on the Cape of Virginia.

Captain Nicol, of the Mentor, arrived at Dover from New York, in lat. 49. N. long. 24. 30. W. spoke the Earl of Dorset, Wright, from Montego Bay for Liverpool, out 7 weeks, all well.

## FROM THE LONDON PAPERS, July 25.

*Utrecht, July 20.* A private letter from Cape Francois, dated May 13, says, that in consequence of excessive heat, and the want of rain, the harvest is wholly ruined, both there and at St Domingo. The plantations of coffee, sugar, and indigo have suffered so much, that the produce is not expected to be equal to the expense of culture. The slaves having been maintained upon rice, that article is scarce, and consequently dear.

The following is a list of the ships of the several nations employed in the whale fishery, with the number of fish taken:

57 ships Dutch, have taken 368 whales.	
16 ———— Hambourg,	67
2 ———— Akena,	20
2 ———— Gluckstad,	3
5 ———— Bremen,	33
32 ———— English,	160

The first Dutch vessel which came into Hambourg with herrings, sold her cargo for 8500 florins.

The militia of Groningen have received from a lady of that city a piece of cannon, and 2000 florins; and two other ladies, animated by the same zeal, have given the sum of 720 florins, for the use and behoof of the party.

## LONDON, July 25.

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales arrived yesterday morning at Carleton-house from Brighthelmston, for which place he set off again in the evening.

On Saturday the Duke of Orleans arrived at Dover, and immediately set off post to Brighthelmston. It is reported, that the purpose of this unexpected visit is, with a view to purchase the most valuable horses belonging to the Prince of Wales, as well as to be at Brighton races, which are to begin on the first of August.

At the sale of the Prince of Wales's horses yesterday at Tatterfale's, the famous horse Rockingham was sold to Mr Bullock for 800 guineas; Hardwick to Mr Bott for 250; Braganza to Mr Hull for 170; Mufu to Mr Berdmore 230; Charles to Mr O'Kelly for 120; and Augusta to the same for 280 guineas. The whole of yesterday's sale only amounted to 4199 guineas.

It is not unworthy of remark, that at the sale of the Prince's stud yesterday, Mr O'Kelly put Augusta in active, and bought her at two hundred and eighty guineas.

By a letter from Paris, dated July 20, we are informed, that Baron de Tott, author of "Memoirs of the Turkish nation," was on the 18th committed to the Bastille, in compliance with a request from the Ottoman Porte.

On Thursday last died at Ramsgate, Mr Justice Nares, one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas. Mr McDonald Solicitor General, is appointed to the Bench in his room. It is not yet settled who is to be the Solicitor General, Mr Bearcroft or Mr Scott.

The Lords of the Admiralty have appointed the following ships to the several destinations annexed: The Amphion, Captain Brown, to Jamaica; Southampton, Captain Snape Douglas, to the Mediterranean; Solebay, Captain Halliday, to the West Indies; Fortune sloop, Captain Cole, to the Irish coast.

## OLD BAILEY.

This morning the celebrated Major Semple was put to the Bar—His Counsel, Mr Agar, objected to the indictment before the prisoner pleaded. The objection was, that the addition should have been to the substantive name, and not to that which comes under the *alias dictus*, viz. he obtained Mr Lyett's carriage, under the name J. G. Harrold, which name stood first in the indictment, when his proper name should have preceded the *alias*. The Recorder allowed the objection, though he owned the practice was contrary. He is ordered to remain till next sessions, and a fresh bill to be preferred for the felony.

There were two other indictments for frauds in London, to which he pleaded, and some others in Middlesex remaining.

A gentleman just arrived from France says, that their trade with North America is almost finished, on account of the want of remittances. Many of the French merchants who sent out large quantities of goods, are ruined. The only trade now carried on, is to give and receive; when they deliver the goods, they take away tobacco, &c. in exchange, but give no credit.

*Extract of a letter from Montego Bay, Jamaica, May 2.*

"The most rigid orders have been transmitted to the officers of his Majesty's customs in this island, not to admit any ships or vessels built in the American States since their independence, to pass as British plantation built, unless they should have been taken at sea by letters of marque and reprisal,

and condemned as lawful prizes in the Court of Admiralty.

"In consequence of the above orders, the brig Charlotte, Cornelius White master, from New York, with flour, lumber, &c. was seized here last Tuesday. On the night following, the above vessel, without sails or rudder, was practically rescued out of the hands of the officers, by four desperate persons in armed boats, towed out to sea, and with sails procured from the shore, carried towards Cuba; but the Comptroller, in a swift vessel, is in pursuit of the pirates; and by the master of a ship arrived here yesterday, we are informed, that it is very probable he would overtake her, as he met both vessels not far distant, steering the same course."

*Extract of a letter from Halifax, April 20.*

"Sometime ago, the schooner Nancy, Captain Gerrish, arrived here from Boston as a British bottom. Doubts having arisen concerning the authenticity of her register, and informations being filed in his Majesty's Court of Admiralty, she was taken possession of by the Custom-house officers; but the Captain, conscious that he had been practising a deception, and fearing that the determination of the Court would not be in his favour, secured the Custom-house officers that were on board, and, on Tuesday night, with a fair wind, sailed with them out of the harbour."

## PRICE OF STOCKS, July 25.

Bank Stock, 148½.	1 per cent. Old Ann. 73½ a 1.
5 per cent. Ann. 111½.	Ditto New Ann. —
4 per cent. Ann. 177½, 95½.	Ditto 175½.
2 a 4.	India Stock, —
3 per cent. con. 74½ a 75½.	3 per cent. Ann. 72.
3 per cent. red. 74½ a 75.	India Bonds paid, —
3 per cent. 1726, shut.	Ditto unpaid, —
Long Ann. 22½.	Navy Bills, —
Ditto 1778, 14½.	Exch. Bills, 33 prem.
South Sea Stock, shut.	Lottery Tickets, 14 l. 11 s.

## WIND AT DEAL, July 24. W.S.W.

## EDINBURGH.

*Extract of a letter from London, July 25.*

"The mail received yesterday from Holland has brought news of a very disagreeable nature. The differences between the Prince of Orange and the States-General were coming every day more and more to extremities, while the King of Prussia was said to be making the most vigorous preparations for supporting his nephew in his constitutional powers. A great number of private letters were brought to their Majesties from the four Princes, and particularly from the Prince Stadtholder, on the contents of which his Majesty sent for Mr Pitt, with whom he had a long conference. The dispatches are said to be of a very serious nature, and ordered to be laid before a Cabinet-Council, which has been summoned on the occasion.

"A secret has just made its way into the more polite circles at the west end of the town, and is neither more nor less, than that Mr P— has become a great gamester. The name of a noble Lord is mentioned, to whom he lost five thousand pounds last week at a single sitting. The fact may rather surprise, but it is strongly insinuated upon as founded in truth.

"It is generally thought, that a requisition will be made in the course of next week to the Lord Mayor for a Common Hall, for the purpose of applying to Brook Watson, Esq; to resign his seat as one of the representatives of the city of London, though it is not true that he pledged himself to vacate his seat whenever he should accept a pension. Mr Watson had a promise of it long before he stood a candidate for one of the city's members.

"There is no truth in the report, that Lord Hawkesbury has been appointed Secretary of State, nor is it yet determined that the Marquis of Carmarthen will retire from office."

On the 25th of July, the Lady of the Hon. Keith Stewart was safely delivered of a son at Glasgow, near Dumfries.

On Saturday last, died, at his house of Clerkston, John Livingston of Parkhall, Esq;

On Monday last, died here, justly and universally regretted, Mr Alexander Pigne, writer in Edinburgh.

On Tuesday the Right Hon. Henry Dundas, Treasurer of the Navy, arrived at his seat of Melville Castle, from London.

Thursday, betwixt ten forenoon, and three afternoon, it blew almost a hurricane, from the south and south west. So severe a storm seldom happens here at this season. It was so violent as to blow down a number of hay ricks in the country adjacent, and to unroof several houses. This last disaster will be severely felt, especially at a time of such general scarcity of straw, with which poor people's houses in the country are, for the most part, thatched. The gardens have also suffered considerably. Several trees were torn up entirely by the roots in some places; and in most, the fruit was much shaken. Yesterday and this day this violent wind was happily succeeded by plentiful showers of rain, which will, in some measure, compensate for the mischief done the preceding day.

A correspondent is sorry to remark, that the fashionable part of this metropolis, while they profess to admire Music, give so little encouragement to eminent professors of that delightful art. Mr Mahon is acknowledged to be the greatest clarionet player in Europe. He afforded infinite pleasure to crowded audiences at St Cecilia's Hall, in the winter, gratis; yet the Concert intended for his benefit last Thursday evening, on which, it is said, he had a particular reliance, was so very poorly attended as scarcely to pay the expense of advertising, &c. This is not the way to induce capital performers to visit us.

The demand for estates in Scotland still continues very brisk. Lands, to a very considerable amount, have been sold at Edinburgh within this month at very good prices.

The verdict returned in the case of Simpson and Brown, on Tuesday last, was finding, by a plurality of voices, the libel not proven, and not the prisoners not guilty, as inserted in our last from another paper.

Yesterday, was brought up to Leith a smuggling lugger called the *Flying Devil*, of Dover, with a considerable quantity of spirits in small casks, taken by Captain John Ogilvie of the Royal George Exchange yacht, off St Abb's Head, on Wednesday last.

Captain James Crawford, of the Royal George cutter, has seized, and sent into Port Glasgow, the brigantine Prosperity of Irvine, Captain Ballantine, laden with about 500 casks of brandy and Geneva, from Ruscov in France.

The names of the Dutch men of war which arrived in Leith Roads, where they still remain, as mentioned in our last, are:

Dordrecht, 64 guns,	Capt. P. Melvill,
Zeepaand, 24	Van Weemel,
Dolphyn, 24	J. Olthuyzenroode,
Maafnymph, 14	J. Ruybende,
Leeum, 18	Lieut. J. Hoef,
Poillon, 4	R. Hapken.

Thursday, Mr Baird's Sandy-o'er-the-Lee distanced Mr Thomson's Lightfoot for the Hunter's Purse, in a canter.

Yesterday the Ladies Subscription Purse was won by James Thomson's Sober Johnny, 1 1

Mr Virtue's Never-mind-her, 2 2

T. Thomson's grey mare, dist.

This day, the purse for the beaten horses through the week was won by

Mr Kerr's bay mare, Esther, 1

James Thomson's gelding, Lightfoot, 2

This day, one James Ellison, a chairman, was committed to the tolbooth, by warrant of the Magistrates, till liberated by due course of law. It appeared upon examination, that this fellow had been drunk, and after taking a lady in o his chair from the Concert last night, between nine and ten o'clock, in order to carry her home, the chair was set down upon the Bridge, he being unable to carry any further. The lady upon this got out of the chair, when Ellison thought proper to tear off the lady's hat, and otherwise to abuse and maltreat her.—We hope a proper example will be made of this fellow, to teach those of his fraternity better behaviour in future.

A few days ago a tradesman in Glasgow bought a pair of old breeches for 1 s. 6 d. from a broker. On his examining them, to his great joy and surprise, he found sewed in them a Bank of England bill for 20 l. Sterling, which he soon got converted into cash.

By intelligence from Peterburgh, we are informed, that an express had arrived with an account of a Russian ship having been taken by the Algerines. A Cabinet Council was immediately held, at which were present, Count Osterman, Vice-Chancellor. Count Ivan Chernicheff, First Lord of the Admiralty. Prince Potemkin, Vice-President of the College of War. Count Besborodkoff, Admiral Sir Samuel Greig, and several other Ministers of State. We learn that the result was, that an order was immediately sent to Cronstadt for equipping thirty sail of the line, and a number of frigates and bomb vessels, with all possible dispatch. Orders were also sent to the districts of Narva, Revel, Wihlaa-Votchook, Lododogo, &c. for fifty thousand troops to hold themselves in readiness to embark in ten days, with a train of heavy artillery, in order to punish those infesting pirates, who have long disturbed the peace of mankind.

The eligible plan upon which Hornsby and Co. have opened their new subscription for the present Irish State-Lottery, at their old established Office, No. 26. Cornhill, must be, a correspondent observes, the greatest inducement for the Public to favour them with their commands. As nothing can be more satisfactory to the community than for them to be assured they are dealing with men of honour, probity, and character, there is no doubt but Hornsby and Co. will be countenanced and patronised by a Public, among whom they had the satisfaction of dividing, in the last English and Irish State-Lotteries, upwards of thirty thousand pounds.

## DUBLIN, July 22.

## THOLSEL INTELLIGENCE.

MIDSUMMER ASSEMBLY, 1786.

Yesterday a petition being lodged for the freedom of the city to the Right Hon. John Pitt, Earl of Chatham, and the same being agreed to by the Board of Aldermen, and sent to the Commons for their concurrence; on the previous question thereon, after debate, being put, and a ballot had, there appeared, Ayes 47, Noes 40; and the main question being then ballotted for, it was carried 42 to 38.

The following protest was then entered by Mr Tandy.

"That I admire the character of the late Lord Chatham, or rather the more respectable one of HONEST William Pitt, I am free to confess; but as *amor patrie* is not hereditary in one son more than another, I was desirous of having some proof, that the present nobleman inherited the principles of the father, as well as his title, before I consented to enrol him a freeman of the city; therefore, in the course of the debate, I repeatedly called upon those ministerial gentlemen who supported the measure, (for the whole weight and power of administration was exerted on the occasion) to point out a single instance, in which the noble Lord had ever shown himself a friend to the commercial or constitutional interest of this country, or even of his own. Nothing being alleged in his favour, save that of his being son to the late Lord Chatham, I hold myself justified in concluding, that nothing could; and therefore asserted, that the freedom of the metropolis of the kingdom ought not to be given to a man, however elevated in rank, who never did a public act in his life, to claim the attention, much less the applause and approbation of the people; that whilst I considered the present Lord the representative of that great statesman, who raised the British name to the highest pinnacle of glory, and encouraged virtue wherever he found it; yet I could not divest myself of the thought, how nearly he was allied to the present Prime Minister of England, in whose time the people of this free and independent country have been most grossly injured and insulted—their petition for a more equal representation in Parliament treated with contempt—insidious and wicked pro-

positions, tending to destroy their trade, and annihilate their constitution, attempted to be forced upon them—protection for their manufactures refused—the liberty of the press destroyed—the chartered rights of the city violated and infringed—a police-bill countenanced and supported, for the sole purpose of rewarding apollacy and corruption, and this at an enormous expence to the industrious citizen—attachments, by which the subject is deprived of his right of a trial by his peers, adopted as the mode of Government prosecution—the Volunteers privately traduced by means of administration, (publicly, so power under Heaven dare do it with impunity)—taxes accumulated—and a Union threatened—perhaps the very nobleman now made free employed for the purpose of bringing about a measure, which, if once attempted, must force every honest man in the nation, either to seek for liberty in another country, or perish by the sword in this. Therefore, lest the granting of this freedom to the Prime Minister's brother, should convey the most distant idea of an approbation of those attacks made upon Irish freedom and independence, I do hereby enter my protest against the same, this 21st July, 1786.

JAMES NAPPER TANDY.

*Proceedings of the Highland Society of Edinburgh.*  
A GENERAL MEETING of the HIGHLAND SOCIETY of Edinburgh was held here on the 24th current, agreeable to the Institution, and honoured by a numerous attendance of Noblemen and Gentlemen distinguished for their patriotic exertions to promote the welfare of their country.

In absence of the Duke of Argyll, President of the Society, the Earl of Moray took the Chair, as Vice President, and a number of great and respectable names were added to the list of Members, after being ballotted, as required by the rules of the Society.

The proceedings of their Committee of Directors and Managers for the current year read over and highly approved of, thanks were voted to the Earl of Moray, Convener, and to his Grace the Duke of Argyll, the Earls of Breadalbane and Dunmore, the Lord Advocate for Scotland, George Dempster, Esq; and others of the Committee formerly appointed to meet in London, as they all merited the highest praise for their attention to the essential interest and welfare of this Institution, which they have, more particularly on that occasion, eminently promoted. And,

Upon resuming the consideration of the proceedings of Committee, in relation to a letter to the Secretary from the Secretary of the Highland Society of London, accompanying the resolutions of that Society, which declare the whole Members of the Edinburgh Society Honorary Members of the London Society, and express the warmest regard and best wishes for the success and prosperity of their Sister-Society in their views and system of promoting the interest of their country.

The Meeting unanimously declared their assent to the proposition of the London Society; and, in return for this mark of regard and respect which they have shown, resolved, That the privilege of Honorary Members of this Institution shall in like manner be conferred on all the Members of that Society, so as to promote in the most effectual manner the views of both Societies in the same patriotic line.

RESOLVED unanimously to approve of the opinion of the Committee in voting the thanks of this Meeting to the Right Honourable Henry Dundas of Melville, Treasurer of the Navy, for his ready support and attention in forwarding the views of this Society; and that Mr Dundas be admitted an Honorary Member thereof.

RESOLVED also, upon motion, That Henry Beaufoy, Esq; Chairman of the Committee of the House of Commons on Fisheries, who has distinguished himself as a friend to this country, shall be declared an Honorary Member.

The Meeting then took under consideration the Resolutions of the Noblemen and Gentlemen who compose the British Society for extending the Fisheries, and improving the sea-coasts of the kingdom, lately established by act of Parliament, and earnestly recommending every aid and assistance to that Patriotic Company.

The Society unanimously approved of the Resolutions of their Committee on that subject; and, in order to encourage and forward this measure, which is of great national importance, a subscription was begun, and shares to a considerable amount instantly subscribed. And, by directions of the Meeting, subscription-papers, transmitted from London to the Secretary of this Society, are lodged in his hands, and also at the Royal Bank, and with Sir William Forbes, Sir James Hunter and Co. Messrs Mansfield, Ramsay, and Co. and Messrs Allan and Stewart.

The Meeting, upon motion, further resolved to open a private Subscription, by Members of this Institution only, for obtaining a Royal Charter to incorporate the Society; and also for enabling them, as a body, to subscribe to the said Joint Stock Company, for certain numbers of shares, besides those subscribed by individual Members; so that every Gentleman of the Society may have an opportunity of contributing voluntarily to this patriotic plan, so well intended by the promoters of it to the interest of the nation in general.

## SOUND SHIPPING.

PASSED THE SOUND,

- July 17. Robert of Irvine, Allan, from Portpatrick, for Memel, in ballast.
12. Tibby of and from Fraserburgh, Dalrymple, for Dantzick, ditto.
- Nancy of Torryburn, Anderson, from Memel, for Grangemouth, with balks.
- Fortitude of Dundee, Robertson, from St Petersburg, for Leith, with aches and tallow.
- Mary and Manie of Grangemouth, Lamb, from Riga, for Grangemouth, with flax and waifcoat.
- Experiment of Dyfart, Fleming, from Memel, for Alloa, with timber.
- Henry of Alloa, Mercer, from Riga, for Alloa, waifcoat.
- Patience of Dundee, Findlay, from Memel, for Dundee.
14. Minerva of and from Aberdeen, Gibson, for St Petersburg, ballast.
15. Adventure of Leith, Lumfaine, from St Ubs, for Memel, with salt.
- Peggy of and from Dyfart, Pearson, for ditto, in ballast.
- Peggy of Dundee, Aimer, from St Petersburg, for Leith, with hemp and tallow.
- Elfinure, July 15. 1786.—Wind N. N. W.*

WOOD AND HOWDEN.

ARRIVED AT GREENOCK, July 17. Boyd, Boyd, from Virginia, with tobacco; Janet, Chisholm, from ditto, with ditto; Convert, —, from Antigua, with sugar, &c.; Carolina, Gardiner, from Bristol, with goods; Forrest, M'Neil, from Larn, with lincolnes,—18. Polly, Iver, from Bristol, with goods; Jane, Campbell, from Dublin, with ditto; Jeany, Normand, from Chester, with timber.—19. Sufannah, Allan, from Water of Orr, with meal.—20. Jane, Doran, from Liverpool, with lincolnes; Mary and Bell, Ker, from Liverpool, with goods; Jeany, Toth, from St Ust, with kelp.—21. Peggy, Fisher, from Dumfries, with meal.—22. Peggy, M'Dougall, from Eskdale, with flax; Cambrag Cutter.—24. Isabella, M'Alister, from Virginia, with tobacco; Jeany, Johnson, from Kendale, with goods.

Sailed, July 17. Sybella, M'Kellar, for Charleston, with goods; Harries, M'Leod, for a cruise.—18. Jeany Taylor, for Pannaquady, with goods; Elizabeth, Blair, for Dundalk, with ditto.—20. Hope, Steel, for Vg







## TRINITY MAINS near EDINBURGH, and LANDS in AYRSHIRE.

TO be SOLD by public roup, in Poole's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Monday the 31st July current, at six o'clock precisely.

The Lands of TRINITY MAINS, consisting of about 55 Scots acres, and holding feu of the Trinity House of Leith, for payment of two bolls of barley at the Mid-Lothian fairs, twenty shillings in money per acre, and minister's stipend, rent, and road money.

The lands lie in a situation truly delightful, on the banks of the Frith of Forth, about one mile west of Leith, and one mile north of the New Town of Edinburgh. The roads from Edinburgh and Leith to Queensferry meet at the gates of the lands. A coach-road down to the sea is made through them, and there are lodges and gates at each end of it.

The soil is rich and dry, remarkably early, and well adapted for gardens, summer houses, sea-bathing quarters, &c. and would make an elegant villa, as the views are very extensive, and most pleasant.

There are besides on these grounds a mansion-house, and a large court of houses, stables, coach-house, &c. with two pump wells, an extensive garden well laid out, and richly furnished, and a thriving belt of planting around it.

The purchaser can soon have possession of the houses, gardens, and some fields; and the whole, if wanted, can be procured by paying a reasonable sum to the tenant, whose lease expires in a few years.

The lands will be exposed at 800 l. sterling. ALSO, the Lands of WILLOWYARDS, in the parish of Beith, and shire of Ayr, consisting of about 175 English acres of arable land, well inclosed, and subdivided into fifteen fields, and let by one lease to three substantial tenants for 19 years, at 150 l. per annum.

This farm is pleasantly situated along the side of Kilbarny Loch, which abounds with pike and perch. It is within half a mile of Beith, a post and market town, where extensive manufactures are carried on in silk, cotton, and linen. It is eight miles west of Paisley, on the road to Irvine, and in the center between Paisley, Irvine, Kilmarnock, and Greenock.

Upon this property there is a good house, and garden stocked with fruit trees, and an elegant court of offices newly erected.

A valuable flag and stone quarry has been opened in the ground; and it is believed there are coal and limestone in it, but both these articles are in such plenty, and so near indeed that no clay has been made for them.

There are about 10 acres of wood, and a good deal of timber on this farm; and thriving belts of planting surround the greatest part of it. The tenants are bound to preserve the planting and woods, which are fully fenced.

To encourage officers, it will be exposed at 3000 l. being only twenty years purchase of the rental.

The title-deeds of these subjects, and the articles of roup, are in the hands of James Buchanan writer to the signet, who has power to conclude a private bargain, previous to the day of sale.

## FORFARSHIRE.

TO be SOLD by Auction, in William Monro's, vintner, Forfar, on Tuesday the 1st of August next, at twelve o'clock noon.

The Lands of GLENQUICH, lying in the parish of Tannadice and shire of Forfar. The yearly rent of the estate is 131 l. 4 s. 10 d. Sterling, three dozen of hens, and some services. The lands hold of a subject; are valued at 300 l. Scots, and are situated near the towns of Forfar, Glamis, and Kirriemuir. The mansion-house, which is lately built and commodious, and some ground, are separately set for 10 l. which the proprietor may obtain possession of, on giving the tenant a year's warning. There are 100 acres of thriving wood of different kinds. Neither the wood, nor the moss, which is inexhaustible, and would yield a rent, are valued in the rental, and an additional rent will be obtained at the expiration of the present tacks.

For other particulars, apply to the proprietor at Arbroath, Mr William Ramsay clerk to the signet, or Mr James Wylie writer, Forfar.

The estate is well situated for all kinds of sport.

## JUDICIAL SALE OF Lands and Coal in the Shire of Ayr, By Adjournment.

TO be SOLD, within the Parliament or New Session-house of Edinburgh, upon Friday the 4th of August next, betwixt the hours of four and seven in the afternoon, The following Lot of the Lands and Estate which belonged to Messrs Robert and William Alexanders, late merchants in Edinburgh, viz.

The Lands of BLACKHOUSE, DALMELLIN, and BOGHALL, and teinds thereof, lying in the parish of St Quivox, and shire of Ayr, with the Coal of Blackhouse, and some houses and yards at the Bridge-end of Ayr.

The rent payable by the principal tacksmen to the proprietor, is at present only L. 190 7 9 9-12ths. But the surplus rents, payable by the subtenants, exceed the above rent payable to the proprietor, in no less a sum than 388 l. 4 s. 2 d. 11-12ths Sterling; and the leases of some of the most considerable farms expire at Martinmas 1789.

The proven value of the lands, being partly held of the Crown, and partly of a subject superior, is L. 8096 11 6 6-12ths.

The coal on this estate is valued at 6000 0 0.

L. 14,096 11 6 6-12ths. This estate is situated in the immediate neighbourhood of the town of Ayr; the farms are well inclosed, and the houses in good condition. Regular books have been kept, from which the produce of the coal, which is very considerable, may be seen by those intending to offer; and there is reason to believe, from its being so near the port of Ayr, and other circumstances, that the demand for home consumption, as well as for exportation, will encrease greatly.

The articles of sale, plans, and progress, may be seen in the office of Mr Stevenson, depute-clerk of session; and further information will be got by applying to John Pope, factor on the estate, and manager of the coal; or to William Robertson writer to the signet.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 2d day of August 1786, at five o'clock afternoon.

THE Lands and Estate of Elliestoun, lying in the parish of Leffenden and shire of Roxburgh.

The estate is situated in a dry sporting country, on the south side of the Tweed, thirty-nine miles distant from Edinburgh by a good turnpike road, and in the vicinity of Jedburgh, Kelso, Melrose, and Selkirk, all good market towns. It consists of about 1200 acres, all arable, completely inclosed and divided by thriving hedges, from fifteen to twenty-five years old, extensive plantations of all kinds of trees of the same age, which communicate with each other, and afford sheltered walks of several miles in length. The mansion house and offices are in good repair, and fit for the immediate reception of a genteel family; are situated in a lawn of about seventy acres, well laid down; a kitchen garden and shrubbery at a convenient distance; several pieces of water, stocked with carp, trout and perch; they are kept constantly full by a number of streams, which at the same time water the fields. The soil is good, and produces all manner of grain; in the lawn are a considerable number of old trees. The estate affords three freehold qualifications in the shire of Roxburgh.

For particulars apply to George Martin or Thomas Smith, writers, Argyle's Square, Edinburgh.

The upset price will be 13000 l. Sterling.

## Sale of the Estate of Redcastle.

THE LANDS and BARONY of REDCASTLE, situated in the parishes of Killernan and Kilmuir-Walter, in the county of Ross, not having sold at the public roup, formerly advertised, are now to be sold by private bargain, by John Tait writer to the signet, Park Place, Edinburgh.

TO be SOLD by public voluntary roup, within the Tontine tavern of Glasgow, upon Wednesday the 16th day of August 1786, betwixt the hours of one and three afternoon.

The Five-Pound Land, of old extent, of MEIKLE AIKENHEAD, with the parsonage teinds thereof, lying in the parish of Cathcart, and shire of Lanark.

The above lands are held of the Crown, and entitle to a vote for a Member of Parliament. They contain about 165 acres of land, whereof 64 acres may be entered to at Martinmas next. The present free rent of the whole is 227 l. 19 s.

These lands are almost all uninclosed, and are yet in their natural state; and as they lie within two miles of the city of Glasgow, they are capable of very great improvements.

The progress of writs may be seen in the hands of Patrick Robertson writer in Glasgow.

## JUDICIAL SALE OF KNOCKANDO and CRAIGMILL.

TO be SOLD, by public roup, under the authority of the Court of Session, within the Parliament or New Session-house of Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 2d day of August next, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon, in one, two, or three lots, as purchasers shall incline.

All and whole the Lands and Estate of KNOCKANDO and CRAIGMILL, and right by wadset to the superiority of COTTONHILL, all belonging to the late Captain Ludovick Grant of Knockando, and brought to sale at the instance of Elizabeth Grant, his eldest daughter, as apparent heir, with consent of her curators.

LOT I. The Lands of Knockando have a right of fishing salmon in the river Spey, and lie in the parish of Knockando, and shire of Elgin and Forres, and the proven gross rent of them, as payable by the tenants, is L. 513 18 11.

As there is no heritable right produced to the teinds of these lands, a full fifth is, on that account, deducted from the gross rent; *inde.* L. 102 15 9 4-12ths. The feu-duty is also deducted, L. 11 4 8-12ths 304 7 2.

The proven free rent is, L. 409 11 9. Which being valued in the sale at twenty-five years purchase, the upset-price at which the lands are ordained to be exposed, is L. 10,239, 13 s. 9 d. Sterling.

Besides the above gross rent, the tenants pay the land-tax and school-fair, and perform various services, when required, not specially mentioned nor converted in the rental.

It will also occur to those intending to purchase, that although, in the sale, it is necessary, for want of an heritable right, to deduct a fifth for teind, the value of a perpetual right by tack, when ascertained according to the established rules, supposing they are Bishop's tithes, not saleable, is, in a comparative view with the deduction on that account from the rent, a very inconsiderable object; and that, if they are parsonage tithes, they can be purchased at six years' purchase of the free teind, after deducting king's annuity and minister's stipend, which last is, in this case, 29 l. 14 s. 5 d. 4-12ths in money, and 9 bolls of meal, at 8 stone per boll.

There is likewise a fine natural wood, of considerable extent, consisting chiefly of oak, birch, and allan. Besides this natural wood, there are two thriving plantations of firs, the one of them, at an average, about twenty years of age, and occupying about 100 acres, the other planted about the year 1774, neither of which woods, natural or planted, are valued in the sale; nor is any value put upon the salmon-fishing, although it produces sufficiency of fish, in the season, for the proprietor's own family, and might yield some rent, was he disposed to grant a lease of the fishing.

These lands lie upon the north side of the Spey, about ten computed miles from Elgin, and the same from Forres, the two county towns. They are well accommodated, are capable of great improvement, and afford abundance of muir-game. According to a survey made some time ago, their contents are as follow:

	Scots Acres.
Arable Lands,	1168
Grass,	621
Under Wood,	177
Moss,	630
Muir and Heath Pasture,	2493
	5109

The mansion-house is neat and commodious, sufficient to accommodate a genteel family; and the offices are suitable to the house, and in the best order. The house is placed upon a rising ground, betwixt two rivulets or burns, which run into Spey in the view of it; and the grounds high the house are all covered with natural wood of various kinds, in a thriving state. The river Spey is in front of the house, and runs in view thereof for some distance, in a serpentine course.

The gardens are of considerable extent, and contain great variety of fruit-trees of the best kinds, which bear early and excellent fruit. The grounds around the house are laid out with taste, containing variety of trees and flowering shrubs, and having serpentine walks through them, and along the burns on each side for a considerable space. The conveniences about this place are great, and the situation truly healthy and beautiful.

The lands hold of the Crown, and the valued rent of them is 628 l. 3 s. 10 d. Scots, which considerably exceeds the sum required for a freehold-qualification in the county.

LOT II. The lands of Craigmill lie in the parish of Dolas, and county of Ayr; they hold of a subject superior, for payment of a feu-duty of 8 s. 4 d. Scots. There is an heritable right produced to the teinds of these lands, and the proven free rent, after deducting feu-duty, stipend, and school-fair, is 159 l. 4 s. 2 d. 11-12ths Sterling, which being valued at twenty-five years purchase, the upset price at which the lands are ordained to be exposed, is 3980 l. 4 s. 4 d. 1-12th Sterling.

These lands lie within four miles of the town of Forres, and about seven from Fochabers, a sea-port town. They are well accommodated with fuel, and every other necessary; afford also plenty of muir-game, and are capable of great improvement.

LOT III. The lands of Cottonhill lie in the parish of Belly, lordship of Enzie, and county of Banff, and hold of the Crown; but as they were disposed in wadset to the said deceased Captain Ludovick Grant, by his Grace Alexander Duke of Gordon, redeemable by his Grace, or his heirs, at Whit Sunday 1776, or at any other term, for payment of 20 l. Scots, they are valued at no more in the sale, and are ordained to be exposed at that sum, being 11, 13 s. 4 d. Sterling.

The articles of roup are to be seen in the office of Mr Thomas Bruce, depute-clerk of Session; and a copy of these articles, with the rental, title-deeds, and measurement of the estate, may be seen, and any further information had, by applying to Alexander Grant writer, at Mr Isaac Grant's writer to the signet, Edinburgh.

Plans of Knockando and Craigmill, lie with Mr Daniel Cruickshank at Archibald's of Ballintomb, factor upon both estates, who will be ready at any time to show the grounds of either estate.

## House, Garden, and Offices

AT LAURISTON—TO LET.

To be LET for one or more years as can be agreed upon, and entered to immediately.

THE HOUSE, Garden, and Offices at Lauriston, which belonged to and were possessed by the late Rev. Mr Brown. The first floor thereof consists of a parlour, small room, pantry, kitchen, servants room, and scullery, with cellar fitted up with catacombs.—The second floor consists of a handsome drawing-room and bed-room, with a smaller bed-room and large closet off the drawing-room.—The third floor consists of three bed-rooms, two of which are large, and have each of them a light closet.—There is also two excellent garrets with fire places. The garden is neatly laid out, and stocked with remarkable fine wall-trees. The cellars and out-houses are very commodious, and some of them might be converted into a coach-house and stable, if necessary. The situation of the premises is very pleasant, and will be much improved by the new communications opening from the city to the suburbs on the fourth side thereof.

The house to be seen on the Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, from twelve to two.

## Sale of Lands in Lanarkshire.

TO be SOLD by public voluntary roup, within the Tontine Coffeehouse in Glasgow, upon Wednesday the 16th of August 1786, betwixt the hours of one and three o'clock afternoon.

The Forty-hilling Land of old extent of WHITEINCH, lying in the parish of Govan, and shire of Lanark, about three miles west of Glasgow, on the turnpike road leading to Dumbarton.

These lands consist of about 108 Scots acres, rich soil, mostly haughing ground, pleasantly situated on the banks of the Clyde; are partly inclosed, and a good standing of houses upon them.

For further particulars apply to George Jeffrey, writer in Edinburgh, or John Bogle, merchant in Glasgow.

TO be SOLD, by public roup, or auction, within the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 16th day of August 1786, betwixt the hours of six and seven afternoon.

I. The Barony of CLOWDEN, alias NEWARK, lying in the parish of Kirkpatrick Invergay, and shire of Kirkcubright, comprehending the lands and farms of Rowton Bridge, Upper, Nether, and Mid Dalwhairn, Lagg, Rouchtree, Hallhill, Cobbeholm, Newark Braes, Whinnihill, Ingelton, Gatefield, or Kirkpatrick and Clowden, with the corn, barley, and wheat mills, a salmon fishing in the river Clowden, and the vice patronage of the parish of Kirkpatrick Invergay.

This estate is of a remarkable good soil, well inclosed and subdivided with thriving full grown hedges; it is at present in good condition, and there is sufficiency of shell marl upon it to keep it so. It contains about 1870 English acres, whereof 1500 are arable and meadow, about 90 woodland, and the remainder very good pasture. The present rent is 882 l. 1 s. 1 d. Sterling, and the tenants beside pay the vicual stipend and school salary; but a considerable rise of rent may be depended on at the expiry of the current leases. It holds of the Crown, and stands rated in the cess-books at 2260 l. 10 s. Scots. The teinds are valued, and the purchaser will have right to them.

The woods are well inclosed, and very thriving; at last cutting they fold for upwards of 700 l. Sterling, exclusive of the woods on Hallhill, which are presently fit for sale.

This estate is pleasantly situated on the banks of the river Clowden, within three miles of the town of Dumfries; and it has many delightful situations upon it for building a mansion-house, which would command the view of the rivers Nith and Clowden, the town and port of Dumfries, the whole gentlemen's seats in that rich and populous neighbourhood, the Solway frith, and the Cumberland hills; and there is a good free-stone quarry on the estate, near a good stance for a mansion-house.

Mr W. Black, at Nando's Coffeehouse, London, can give a full description of this estate.

This estate will be exposed at 20,000 l.

II. The Lands of Over and Nether BARNCLEUGHS, lying in the said parish and county, within a mile and an half of Clowden, consisting of about 230 English acres, whereof 160 are arable, and 19 moss, where there is an inexhaustible quantity of shell marl.

These lands are all sufficiently inclosed and subdivided with good stone walls. The present rent is only 50 l. but when the current lease expires at Martinmas 1787, a considerable rise will be got.

The teinds are valued, and the purchaser will have right to them.

These lands will be exposed at 1500 l. Sterling.

III. The Lands and Estate of GELSTON, lying in the parishes of Kelton and Baile, and county of Ayr, comprehending the farms of Boreland and Gelston, with the mill and mill-lands; and Craigley in the parish of Kelton, and Caill in the parish of Baile, containing about 1360 acres all of an exceeding rich quality, well inclosed and subdivided, with stone walls, and full grown fencible hedges.

On this estate there is a good mansion-house and offices, with a garden and orchard, and some thriving plantations; and an inexhaustible quantity of shell marl for improving the fame, and for sale to the neighbouring heritors.

The estate is let to good tenants, at about 600 l. Sterling of yearly rent. The whole holds of the Crown; and the lands of Boreland afford a freehold qualification on the old extent. The teinds of the whole are valued; and the purchaser will have right to them in the parish of Baile, and to a current tack of the teinds in the parish of Kelton.

The situation of Gelston is very convenient and inviting, being within three miles of the sea-port of Auchenair, on the Solway frith, and two miles of the great military road leading from Carlisle to Portpatrick, to both of which there are good roads.

This estate will be exposed at 14,500 l. Sterling.

IV. These parts of the Barony of GLASSNOCK, lying in the parish of Penningham and county of Wigton, comprehending the farms of Over and Nether Glassnocks, Killcal, Kirkchrist, and Killymore, with a salmon-fishing in the river Bladnoch, and the superiority of the lands of Drumroy and Carbaie, lying in the parish of Kirkcowan, and county of Wigton.

These are good grazing lands, both for black cattle and sheep. The present rent, including the feu-duties in Kirkcowan parish, is only 1141 l. 12 s. 9 d. 6-12ths; but the tenants paid large grassums in 1766, when their leases commenced; so, in 1787, when they expire, a great rise may be depended on, large offers being already made. The teinds are valued; and the tenants pay all the public burdens, stipend excepted.

These lands will be exposed at 4000 l. Sterling.

V. The Farm of CULSCADDEN, in the parish of Sorbie and county of Wigton, also part of the said Barony of Glassnock, let at 160 l. per annum, consisting of about 290 English acres, all good arable land, except about 15 acres, lying on the bay of Wigton, and having a safe port for exporting the produce of the lands.

This farm is all inclosed and subdivided; has within it an inexhaustible quantity of shell marl, and sea-fish; and the kelp on the shore yields from ten to twelve guineas every third year.

The teinds are valued.

This farm will be exposed at 4000 l. Sterling.

The title-deeds, conditions of sale, tacks, rentals, plans, and measurements of the several estates before-mentioned, will be seen in the hands of William Campbell writer to the signet, Edinburgh; and, for further information, apply to Alexander Farquharson accountant in Edinburgh, who has power to sell by private bargain.

John Linton, in Gatefield, near Dumfries, will show the estate of Clowden; Mr Heron jun. of Ingelton, the estate of Gelfog; and Mr Cockburn, at Cree-bridge, the lands in Igonnshire.

## BY ORDER OF THE HONOURABLE

Commissioners of his Majesty's Customs, THERE is to be exposed to public roup and sale, at the Customhouses of the ports, upon the respective days after-mentioned, at 12 o'clock noon, each day.

Sundry parcels of Foreign TEA, Red and White WINES, and others, lately condemned in his Majesty's Court of Exchequer.

DUNBAR, Monday 31st July, 1786.—344 pounds fine black Tea, 30 dozen and 6 choppin bottles red French Wine, 125 pounds Succus Liquorizæ, a parcel of China, and the materials of the Hull of the sloop Good Intent, after being broke up, together with her tackle, furniture and apparel.

LEITH, Tuesday 1st August, 1786.—69 lbs. fine black Tea, 123 gals. red Portugal Wine, 18 gals. white Portugal Wine, 26 gals. Malaga Wine, 29 gals. Lemon Juice, 168 gals. red French Wine, 5 dozen and 4 choppin bottles Claret, 11 dozen and 8 choppin bottles red Portugal Wine, 21 dozen choppin bottles Sherry Wine, 24 dozen ditto Lisbon Wine, one hoghead Claret, 422 pounds Tallow Candles, 7 cwt. 1 quarter and 3 lbs. foreign Cordage, 75 yards foreign Sail Cloth, 28 lbs. Succus Liquorizæ, and 2 firkins Soft Soap.

ANSTRUTHER, Thursday, 3d August, 1786.—140 lbs. fine black Tea, 4 dozen and 3 Wand Baskets, and a parcel of Hair Brooms.

MONTROSE, Saturday, 5th August, 1786.—265 gallons red Portugal Wine, 60 gallons white Portugal Wine, 5 dozen and 11 choppin bottles white Spanish Wine, 80 lbs. Coffee Berries, 299 lbs. Succus Liquorizæ, and 2 Open Boats.

ABERDEEN, Tuesday, 8th August, 1786.—267 gallons red Portugal Wine, 231 gallons white Portugal Wine, 374 gallons Vinegar, 6 gallons Spruce Beer, 9 lbs. black Tea, 110 pieces Nanken, the materials of the Hull of the Mary of Flushing, after being broke up, together with her tackle, furniture, and apparel, and an Open Boat.

GLASGOW, Saturday, 11th August, 1786.—2 frairs, weighing 9 cwt. Raisins, 3 barrels salted White Herrings, and 8 buhels Irish Small Salt.

PORT-GLASGOW, Monday, 14th August, 1786.—The sloop Jeffie, burden 14 tons, with her furniture and apparel, 284 buhels Irish Small Salt, 11 empty barrels, and the materials of the Hulls of the Cutters Roddick and Sally, after being broke up, together with their furniture and apparel.

ROTHSAY, Thursday, 17th August, 1786.—8 gallons red Portugal Wine, 7 gallons white Portugal Wine, the sloop Joan of Rothsay, burthen 20 tons, with her tackle, furniture, and apparel, and 2 Open Boats.

CAMPBELLTON, Monday, 21st August, 1786.—The materials of 2 Open Boats, subject to be broke up before delivery, and 2 Open Boats to be sold entire, with their furniture, and a parcel of Oars and Rudders.

AYR, Thursday, 24th August, 1786.—The materials of 6 Open Boats, subject to be broke up before delivery, with their furniture; together with 5 Open Boats, to be sold entire, with their furniture and apparel.

KIRKCUDBRIGHT, Saturday, 26th August, 1786.—1 hoghead containing 30 gallons Madeira Wine, 50 lbs. black Tea, and the materials of an Open Boat, burthen 10 tons, to be broke up before delivery, together with her furniture and apparel.

STRANRAER, Tuesday, 29th August, 1786.—42 lbs. fine Bohea Tea, and 4 Open Boats, subject to be broke up before delivery.

## Lands of Grange in Fife.

TO be SOLD, the Lands and Estate of GRANGE, lying in the parish of Burntisland, and shire of Fife, amounting to upwards of 200 l. Sterling of yearly rent.

The House is well situated near to Burntisland, a good market and post town, and commands a beautiful and extensive view of the frith of Forth, and the adjacent country.—The office-houses are convenient, and there is a good garden and pigeon-house upon the estate.

David Hunter, gardener at Grange, will show the lands; and proposals for a purchase may be made to David Erskine clerk to the signet, who is possessed of the title-deeds, plans, and rental of the estate.

## Lands in Perthshire to be Sold.

BY ADJOURNMENT. TO be SOLD by public roup, together or separately, on Thursday the 3d August 1786, within the Exchange Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, betwixt the hours of five and six afternoon.

The Lands of EASTER TULLYNEEDY, and half of the Lands of WESTER TULLYNEEDY, consisting of about 239 acres, mostly arable, lying within the parish of Clunie, and shire of Perth. The lands are all out of lease, and the lands of Easter Tullyneedy, converting the vicual at 12 s. is rented at L. 90 0 0.

And the half of Wester Tullyneedy, now in the proprietor's possession, was last rented at 42 l. converting the vicual in same manner L. 42 0 0.

L. 132 0 0.

Also, The Lands of OVER FORNOCHT, SITALONE, and ROCHSTONES, consisting of about 1424 acres, besides a right to a large commonry fill undivided. The lands of Sitalone and Rochstones are presently out of lease, and are rented at about 20 l. Sterling, and the lands of Over Fornocht at about the like sum.

Also, the SUPERIORITIES of Milntown of Fornocht and of Drumfin, the feu-duty out of which is L. 19 20 8-12ths.

These lands lie in a populous part of the country, are near fine shell marl, are capable of great improvements, and particularly have a most delightful situation for a mansion-house, and entitle the proprietor to vote for a member of Parliament.

For further particulars, enquire at James Keay writer, Price's Street, Edinburgh.

## Sale of Lands near Hamilton.

By authority of the Trustees for Captain Robertson's Creditors.

THERE will be SOLD by public roup, within the Old Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Tuesday the 8th August next, betwixt the hours of five and six afternoon.

The Lands and Estates of EARNOCK and LITTLE EARNOCK, lying in the parish of Hamilton and shire of Lanark. These lands consist of 5044 acres Scots measure, and amount in free rent to 398 l. 7 s. 5 d. 4-12ths Sterling yearly, valuing the lands moderately that are in the proprietor's natural possession; and when the present leases expire, some of the lands will rise considerably.

These lands are most delightfully situated about a mile to the south-west of Hamilton. The grounds are all completely inclosed, and divided into convenient inclosures, well sheltered with plantations, which are all in a thriving condition, some of them very valuable, and the grounds are all in excellent heart and condition.

Upon the lands of Earnock there is a large commodious mansion-house, with good office-houses of all kinds; and upon the lands of Little Earnock, there is likewise a good commodious dwelling-house of a smaller size, covered with blue slate; and in the above rental there is no value put upon the said mansion-houses and office-houses, nor upon the woods and plantations upon the said lands.

The premises are held of his Grace the Duke of Hamilton for payment of 2 l. 4 s. 5 d. 4-12ths Sterling of feu-duty yearly.

These lands will be sold jointly or in lots. And for further particulars, application may be made to Captain James Robertson, the proprietor, at Earnock, or to Samuel Mitchell, junior, clerk to the signet, Edinburgh.